

## **Forest Hills Wood Chipping Program**

The seasonal wood chipping program is provided at no cost as a service to our residents.

Materials will not be picked up from any apartment complex, business or institution.

To schedule the chipper, just call 412-351-7330, extension 200 to schedule an appointment.

When leaving a message, please be sure to include your name, address, and phone number

so that the office can get back to you. Please be sure to call before placing the items to

be chipped at the curb, and we will schedule you in as quickly as possible.

Tree limbs will be collected by appointment only according to the following schedule (weather permitting and except during emergencies and holidays):

**Note: Due to covid, the wood chipping months for 2021 have changed:**

**June 2nd, 9th and 23rd.**

**July 7th, 14th and 21st.**

**August 4th and 11th.**

There will be a limited number of pickups per week. The crew will spend a maximum of 20 minutes at each property with an appointment. The remainder of the pile will be completed the following Wednesday.

Place the items at the curb in a neat, orderly fashion with the larger end facing the street (no alleys). All limbs should be facing the same direction. The chipper can accept branches and trees up to eight inches in diameter. No root systems or tree parts that have dirt on them will be accepted. Piles of brush that are intertwined will not be chipped. No vines or thorns will be accepted. We do not accept any type of lumber, building materials, or landscaping timbers. The Public Works employees will have the final say as to whether or not an item or the quantity is acceptable for removal.

Wood chips, if available, are free to all Borough residents and can be picked up by appointment only from Monday through Friday between the hours of 8 a.m. and 2 p.m. during the months of May through August. You will be informed of the exact location of pickup when making an appointment.

### **Yard Waste**

Yard waste is defined by the borough as: Leaves, cuttings, trimmings and clippings from trees, bushes and other plants, garden residues, and chipped shrubbery, but does not include grass clippings.

The borough allows residents to deposit yard waste at a location behind the public works garage.

The yard-waste box is available around April 15 to October 15 (approximate). For more or questions, call Public Works at 412-351-7330, x207.

*(Information included here may be changed without notice. Contact the borough office for updated information on the borough's program. Also for further information, visit our web-site at [www.foresthillspa.org/trash-and-recycling.html](http://www.foresthillspa.org/trash-and-recycling.html))*